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Deputy Director Senior Services

Kristy Cottrell is the Deputy Director of Senior Services for the Davis County Health Department. She oversees the Department's Senior Services Division and the local Area Agency on Aging. Prior to this position, she served as the Department's Family Health & Senior Services Division Director beginning in 2013.

She currently serves on the board of directors for n4a, the National Association of Area Agencies on Aging.

Cottrell came to the Department from Salt Lake County, Utah, where she worked in a variety of programs, including aging services, immunizations, pediatrics, and women's health, with a primary emphasis on increasing access for underserved populations.

Through her academic pursuits, particularly at the graduate level, Cottrell emphasized learning about leadership, research, evaluation, and policy analysis. While still in nursing school, she realized the value of prevention, and focused her entire professional career in public health and keeping people healthy. She enjoys problem solving, and working together to make communities a better place to live, work, play, and age.

Cottrell received her undergraduate degree in nursing from Westminster College and obtained her Master's Degree in Public Administration from the University of Utah.

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